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For: ADHESIVE STICKER LABELING SYSTEM  
FOR USE IN IDENTIFYING COMPACT DISKS

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AMENDMENT

The Applicant is responding to the Office Action dated May 9, 2000, and requests reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Extension of Time

Applicants have previously requested in this application an authorization pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3) to treat a request for a Petition for Extension of Time to operate as a petition for an appropriate length of time. Applicant's attorney hereby requests an extension for a three month extension of time. As this is a small entity application, the appropriate fee under 37 C.F.R. 17 is \$445, and a check for that amount is enclosed.

In the claims:

Please amend claims 6 and 8 to read as follows, and add new claim 11:

6. (Amended) A method for identifying a compact disk[s] through use of an adhesive label having dimensions of sufficient tolerances not to interfere with the operation of compact disk drive mechanisms such that the labels do not cover an entire face of the compact disk,

said method comprising the steps of:

obtaining a compact disk;

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